

M. M. MURDOCK, Editor.

England and France want to be connected by a tunnel, and yet are afraid of it. A sort of mutual desire and mutual

If Jerry should swing the house members of the Big Seventh solid, where is the man who is going to have more votes for the U.S. senate than he?

In France the bankrupt man is not allowed to serve on the jury. Such a law in this country would cause many business men to seek safety in insolvency.

Senator Teller says the copyright bill will become a law within thirty days. And this, too, in spite of the fact that Editor Joe Medill, of the Chicago Tribune, is opposed to it.

It is a favorite optimistic expression that the Lord helps those who help themnotion that such help will be vouchsafed areas in the southern half of the state seives, but don't deceive yourself by the to those who help themselves only.

The spirit of home rule seems to per- growing districts in Louisiana, and that vate the universe. A few days ago 500 Hindoos met at Calcutta and demanded two-thirds of the quantity of sugar rea moderate amount of home rule for quired by this country. The principal their country. They have formed a marional association to that end.

Some New Haven smokers have start- which is placed at \$50 per acre, very few ed a tobacco moderation society, mem- farmers being in condition, financially, bers being limited to three cigars a day, to engage in it. Cotton is, and will The members will probably follow the probably continue to be for some idea of the man who swore to take but time, the principal crop of the state. one drink a day, and then went out and That crop for 1890 is put down purchased a bucket wherewith to meas- at 2,000,0000 bales, about one-fourth of and what was noticed by at least fifty are off his diurnal dose.

There will be five Taylors in the Fif- \$80,000,000. This is nearly as much as ty-second congress: One from Tennes- would be realized from a full sugar-crop, see, one from Illinois and three from and the cost of producing a cotton crop Ohio. They are all Republicans, and being not more than one-fourth as much some one facecionsly remarks that they as for a sugar crop it is but reasonable will be able to "suit" themselves in the to suppose the planters will adhere to next congress as far as the actions of the present great staple, which is always the state,

is that the crash will come sooner than on the contrary has been sufficiently dethe world anticipates.

The funniest and cutest little man in all America, and by all odds the smartest, has an office at 115 Broadway, second floor front, and his name is Jav Gould. He upsets Wall street one day. leaving its financial bulls and bears standing on their heads and hind legs promiscuously and the next day he wraps the greatest corporate powers of the country around his little finger, nonplussing their solicitor-generals with legal points in their own contracts of which they never dreamed.

At the rate at which things are now going, the Koch lymph is in a very fair cept by savages of a very low order. way to be listed as the great cure-all before long. If we believe the reports, it is to be efficacious in curing all tubercuthe world, known as North and South lous diseases, cancer, leprosy and other America, is from the scientific point of adments. Either the experimenters have view an inferior continent as compared allowed enthusiasm to run away with with the land masses of the other hemijudgment or we are on the eve of a misspheres. By tent is meant that, while rueglous discovery in therapeutics. We At the present all is uncertainty,

one hundred and twenty, men women more than big cats. and children, it was stated that the band | hibition of this contrast you cannot do | New York Star's Man About Yown was practically annihilated. Already better than consider the monkeys, which there are upwards of 3,000 hostiles in are most highly developed of all beasts, the red skins.

It is said that one of the matters in which Wall street is taking an interest nowadays is whether the remainder of erous and heavy snow storms have a de- monkeys with tails. cided effect on the traffic and earnings if the railroads in the west and northwest. At the same time, a severe winter induces increased consumption of coal. roads whose freight is largely composed uct, but as an importation. of coal. An open winter or its reverse the course of speculation.

The New York correspondent of the Philapelphia Bulletin says there is no niced of going south or west to find a rough neighborhoo . All one has to do they will carry one up in the northern able to support a population. "Nevada, who is so venturesome as to stroll upon this Hourslow heath he will be robbed. The races attract thither a mob of the hardest characters that ever struck an tear of affection on the past of a contioutlying fringe of a great city. Some of the residents are socialists and anarchists and there are many Poles, Italians and Hugarians, with whom regard for human life is very slight.

evident that unless the weather shall be of clergymen always delivering sermons; up the Russian peasantry by usurious come and continue severe enough to prevent it, there will be a general uprising of the Indians and a very serious state of the of affairs before the trouble is finally set-draw an audience any time; we have po-tled. The Sioux have never been more littical stump speakers of all kinds who thoroughly worked up and hostile than are shouling at every election and often now: even those regarded as friendly between campaigns. Then we have owing to competition, the rate of in-place, and near the corner of Church have taken the warpath, many of them. If the miserable villains who are responsible for the trouble could have been professors in colleges, besides the members of their professors of their bere of adapting accients and trades of the sipped and fell. I assisted him proper. He further says that in the provinces outside the pale of Jewish market: "That's my first fall this winsettlement, where there are no Jewish ter." He continued his walk just ahead made to suffer the consequences of their bers of debating societies and trades uninfamous acts instead of the innocent tons, and other things. I believe we shopkeepers, retired or dismissed ofBroadway be fell again, and was assisted soldiers who have been killed and others have at least 2,000,000 crators in this rewho will be, doubtless, it would have been cause for much less regret than is been cause for much less regret than is now felt. But the war being on its. There never was anything like it in all those countries in which other trades. now felt. But, the war being on its man seems to feel it in all and professions are open to them; that for it may be, but a man seems to feel it hands, the government cannot but prose- past time. Then I had forgotten to speak they engage in it in Russia so largely a disgrace to slip down, and I cannot re-

For the Eagle Twill be 'bi tomorrow more,
The old year dead—a new year born.
How they come apace—how swift, they go
On the river Time with coaseless flow. Let us pause tonight in solemn thought And ask ourselves what time has wrong Within our hearts; opportunities rare Were given to each to use with cars. Many the heartaches and burning tears We might assuage in the possing years, For ourselves and others in this pligritung Did each do the duties, that come to hand The old is passed—its pages closed Of what were those pages just written composed, How have we used apportunities given: Row will they read in the ledger of Heaven? The new year's before us—what shall we write On its pages as yet unsolled and white? At its close shall we hear this said retrain, Alas' the record is blotted again?

Carefly we'd weigh each act and thought And all our laker be carefully wrought. Carefly we'd write and the pages be clean, Could we see ourselves as we are seen.

HES. L. B. REYNOLDS.

TEXAS

the ribbon cane as are the famous sugar-

the state of Texas alone could produce

obstacle in the way of the people engag-

ing in the sugar industry is the cost of

producing and marketing the cane crop,

rent prices this is estimated to be worth

veloped to demonstrate that it may be

made one of the surest and most profita-

A DARK PROPHESY.

In view of the fact that the majority

the bureau of ethnology of the national

deluded mankind that it is all wrong,

and that the resucres of the western

ized man, and will be depopulated ex-

"In order that this may be under-

stood," says Mr. Mason, "it is first neces-

point of vegetable productiveness, it is

Inxuriously grew, and shedding a silent

nent which is given up to savagery ever

"We are becoming a nation of ora-

ble that can be engaged in.

SUGAR GROWING IN KANSAS AND The question of sugar raising is just now attracting considerable attention down in Texas. It is claimed that large his personal resemblance so the great marshal created; but the real are as well adapted to the production of

then refrain from speechifying the rest

The Ney myth comes to the front once

#### writer of romance. A SLOW PAPER.

If the Capital will turn to the editorial the entire crop of the country. At cur- papers in the state of Kansas; FOR UNITED STATES SENATE.

As the Alliance people are casting around for a candidate for the United States senate, and as they are particular particular and as they are particular to the Contury for January.

"Your economists," he said to me, "invented a beautiful dream; it is the chim-

wouldn't prove distateful.

### A HARD WINTER.

the ice dealers of Connecticut, Levi tions of the world. Beebe, the old, reliable weather prophet of mankind considers the resources of the of Great Barrington, has sent his decree of what the weather is to be this winter. United States unlimited and predict for it a wonderful future, Mr. Otis Mason, of Mr. Beebe says:

ter. Ice will be abundant, and snow in New England will be deep, coming on about Jan. I, and lasting until late in the spring, giving parts of Connecticut and Massachusetts about ninety days of sleighing. There will be much more agreeable. The New World possesses a kind of wealth peculiar to it; its crops of Okiahoma to get up a cantata, when times are dull.

There are always some good people in Okiahoma to get up a cantata, when times are dull.

Congressman Perkins' Christmas present was portfolio of photographic views of Okiahoma. museum, has deemed it his duty to tell hemisphere will in a comparatively short imperilled, and steamships coming from Europe will be especially endangered as Might not that natural balance furnish

very much fear, however, that the formless adapted for the support of animal
or will prove to be the truth in the case. life. To show that this is so, make a

A Missouri prognosticator, named Fos"Your idea," Mr. Hamilton said to me,
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"will only be practical the day when—
"will only be practical the day when— Killing off the Indians as a means of getting rid of them, appears to be quite similar in its effects to the same method of getting rid of flies in summer for

"But to arrive at the most marked ex-Senator Preston B. Plumb, of Kansas is at the Astor house, and the political arms. At this rate the government will approaching very nearly to man. What differences with his party friends which find it necessary to greatly increase its is there to be found in the Americas to have larely marked his career in the senarray in order to hold its hand against correspond with the anthropoid ages of ate do not seem to be troubling him very the old world? The gorilla, which uses a much. Any one looking closely at the senator will notice that his face is strongclub, the chimpanzee, which is easily taught to wait upon the table and to per- ly pitted with smallpox marks. form other domestic duties, and the ouris a story connected with this fact that
ang, which presents so many likenesses is honorable to to the great heart of the
o the human being, are represented on Kansas statesman. In the early days of
the world by miscrable little. the winter will be severe or not. Num- this side of the world by miserable little | the state, Emporia was a booming fown monkeys with tails.

"Thus it is that this part of the earth printer. He gathered money enough is termed an inferior continent, because it is not able to produce or support such by newspaper in the town, and was doing bigh developments of animal life as are fairly well with it and had almost paid todaces increased consumption of coal found in the other part. Civilized man up his debts. There can a rumor through this tends to benefit the revenues of rail-exists here to-day, not as a natural prodtramp, had been suddenly smitten with Mr. Mason then continues his gloomy smallpex, and that the epidemic was in bus, therefore, considerable influence on prediction by telling how state by state danger of spreading. The rumor meant will gradually become uninhabitable, be. ruin to the embryo municipality, and so cause of inability to support a popularied out on the prairies far from the city, tion, until finally the whole country will and left there in a log cabin to do the until finally the whole country will and left there in a log cabin to do the until finally the whole country will and left there in a log cabin to do the until finally the man who controls one of the departments of state called the until finally many left there words, The state of Nevada will be the first to one to care for him, and of course, it 'comptroller' general? In other words, suffer from infectious ailment, and the was a wrestle with death. In his one why is his title spelled with an 'm' and men. The country needs more money. is to travel on the horse cars as far as time is very close on when it will be un room editornal and printing office Pres- a 'p' instead of an 'n?" said a gentleton B. Plumb heard the story. He closed man vesterday, the place, started-out to the log house. Perhaps the same question has ocportion of Hudson county, New Jersey.

Then let him or her take a walk straight

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The same of the out in any direction. The chances are this inevitable law. The outlook is that if the pedestrian is a woman, she will be in danger of assualt, particularly if it be after nightfall. If it be a man who is so venturesome as to stroll upon continent a few centuries hence, standsaved. ing on a sandhill, where once the maize

## RUSSIAN USURERS

The publication of facts regarding the French "comptable, disabilities imposed upon the Jews of Russia, which remind one of Macauley's tare" all mean to take care of, to remarks on the treatment of moreon tors," according to Orator Puff, who formist ministers during the reign of takes care of certain state affairs puts a says: "We have the members of both well supplemental by Ms. Allow the members of both well supplemental by Ms. Allow the members of both well supplemental by Ms. Allow the members of both well supplemental by Ms. Allow the members of both well supplemental by Ms. From the tenor of the dispatches the houses of congress, and all the state legtime past day or two from the scene of the Indian trouble in the northwest it is tried of speech making. We have a host

NEW YEARS' EVENING MEDITATIONS American citizen who can't make a the old story. It is a crime for the Jew spectrum at any time on any subject, ought to take the same course in money get-ther are the do so at once, and ting as others take.

### ELECTRICAL INOCULATION.

a Philadelphia Special. Physicians and medical students have more, and this time it is elaborately set forth in a book written by Rev. James without a parallel so far as known. Lit-A. Weston, of Hickory, N. C. Mr. Weston is an Episcopal clergyman, a scholarly gentleman, and he is firmly convinced that the Peter Stuart Ney shot." Her aunt seized the child's hands tle Mamie Lurker, walking in who taught school and died in Rowan and staggered back as if she had received county, North Carolina, in 1846, was the veritable Michael Ney, the marshal of
France, who was called by Napoleon the
bravest of the brave. The myth is that
wire overhead had dropped on the girl's instead of being executed as history face and stung her. A bright crimson records Michael Nev escaped, made his spot on Mamie's check showed way to America and located in North
Carolina, assuming the role and profession of a school teacher. That such a
person as Ney, a school teacher, did appear and reside in that state about the
time of the incidents of history men. ime of the incidents of history men- for the peculiar symptoms of the girl, tioned is undoubtedly true, and also who was nervous and uneasy and whose that he encouraged the suspicion that grasp sent an indefinable tingling sensation to the hands of everybody who touched her. Dr. De Heust diagnosed the case as bullia or vasicular poisoning. identity of person has many times been and administered the remedies usual in disproved by indisputable facts. How- cases of that kind. To his astonishment, ever, it affords a ciever theme for a read- however, the bright-hued sore on able novel, in the hands of a competent | cheek was followed by other bright-hued eruptions on every part of the body, each one emitting the same peculiar tingling sensation when touched. In his opinion the bug was of a Brazilian species Judge Doster, of Marion county, is the latest mentioned for United States sena-torial honors for the third party. Judge Doster is a man of fine ability and excellinguished for its bottle shaped appearant character.—Topeka Capital, Dec. 31. The patient is now considered out of danger after unremitting attention on page of the EAGLE of the morning of November 16, it will find the following.

# TALLEYRAND AND ALEXANDER

larly anxious that they may not take too erical exaggeration of people whose ingreat a step downward from Ingalis, we tentions were good. Theoretically," he st that there is a man living in cen- nidded, "their system might perhaps be tral Kansas, not far from the middle of contested, and its unsoundness be exthe state, a prominent lawyer and at posed; but we must leave them their present a district judge who has since sweet illusions; the present state of af-When the revolution breaks out in Russia—and it is only a question of time—it will be the greatest of modern times. In its efforts to prevent it the government is encouraging it, and giving the combustible elements increased force and energy every day. And our guess is that the crash will come sconer than on the contract of the Granger days been holding to cardinal doctrines of the Alliance, and whom and doctrines of the Russian and doctrines of the Granger days been holding to cardinal doctrines of the Granger days been holding to cardinal doctrines of the Alliance, and whom and doctrines of the Alliance, and whom and doctrines of the Alliance, and whom not to say acceptably. We refer to Judge Frank M. Doster, of Marion.

The ExoLE would not be considered as crowding itself, but as the Aliance seemond it is either that fact." I did not make a very firm stand in favor of the economists, yet I contly sacrely nake up my mind to take so kindly to so many of the discouragement as exists in Texas, but discouragement as exists in Te rush to the mind when one is an outlaw.

Mr. Hamilton did not seem to me to reject so peremptorily the possibility of all industry being, some day, divided in At the earnest solicitation of many of a permanent way between all the na-

Europe, I said to him, is acquainted with and cultivates all branches of art, and excels in the manufacture of all articles of luxury, as in everything that tends to make life more pleasant and agreeable. The New World possesses a

The Oklahoma City Times' editorial pag has been picking up wonderfully of late.

There are always some good people in

time be exhausted as a support for civil- sleighing. There will be much more abilities serve, at least for a considerable snow in both these states than for five time to come, as the measure and basis ears previous, and the entire New Eng of the relations that must necessarily land coast will see snow two feet deep spring up between nations, some of before Feb. 1. The winter will be more which daily require to buy, at a mod-severe on account of high winds. The crate cost, the most usual necessaries of mercury will often go below zero. Ship-ping on the Atlantic coast will be greatly—all that tends to make life more pleasant

> they approach these shores. The waves will run higher than they have in many which, being ruled by international condecades."
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> A Missouri prognosticator, named Fos-cial intercourse of the different powers? "Your idea," Mr. Hamilton said to me,

little compar son for yourself between for the year. He doesn't say much and it is perhaps not very remote great

of getting rid of flies in summer: for enough and strong enough to carry what every one killed a dozen will appear. After the first light, that took place at the attempted disarming of a band of one hundred and twenty, men women of the hundred and twenty, men women of getting rid of flies in summer: for enough and strong enough to carry what would be a load for a man. The lion of the limits of London, which, notwithstanding four commercial successes, will vet be school board, whose only object may be to rado, and Nebraska.

A REMINISCENCE OF PLUMB. Anisterdam, which, if things do not mend in Holland, will soon be removed to London; that of Cadiz, which will eventually pass into the hands of our northern or southern ports; and that of Marseilles, which owed its flourishing state to Leuantine trade, but is now on the eve of being lost to you Frenchmen. As for us, we only need two markets, but they are indispensable to us; one for the northern and one for the south-

When those large markets are established, commerce will be able to resume its regular course; commercial enterprise ill no longer rely on mere chance, it being the interest of each market to put lish the real price and quality of the various goods that find their way to it; excessive fluctuations will be thereby avoided, thus keeping within reasonable lations. Then will sailors of all nations bring in confidence their cargoes to the various ports of the world."

## Way it is "Comptroller,"

namestered to him until he, too, was past participle "cornere," means "to take care of," especially as refers to the combing of the bair. The word "combbeing also a derivative of the same root. e English "comptible

French "comptable," and the Latin "computabilis" and the Latin "compuafter, or to control, hence the man who takes care of certain state affairs puts a

cute it to such conclusion as it can acabout feminine orators, of whom there is because they are not allowed to do anycall ever hearing one own up to falling
cept as the victor.

a swarm. The native or naturalized thing else. As may be perceived, it is more than once during a winter.

SUNFLOWER SHIMMER.

Jerry Simpson calls it the "Congrega-Senator Ingalls says the street car is the chariot of the poor. Next week is the time selected for Sen-

ator Ingalls set speech. worth Sun came to life again for.

The Farmers' Alliance is old enough to to have a "ring," but not in its nose. Sam Wood compares Jerry Simpson to Abraham Lincoln. Sam Wood ought to try to say something pleasant.

Mrs. Lense is out for Frank Doster for down as a prophetess in politics. The thing that astonishes Senator In

gails the most is to hear the Republicans of Kansas call it the "force" bill. The New York World ought to come out with its Kodak and take the Farmers'

Alliance in twenty-eight different posi-Ten years ago a wheelbarrow cost \$2.25. Now you can buy one for \$1.65. People

who do not buy wheelbarrows are losing a great bargain. The Pratt County Register has beet moved to Arkansas. Kansas and Arkansas can both afford to have Sunflower papers transferred to that state.

Senator Plumb warmly congratulated Senator Wolcott at the conclusion of the latter's strong speech in the senate Tuesday afternoon in opposition to the force

Dick Walkerand Senator Ingalls walked down Kansas avenue in Topeka the other evening together and their presence completely broke up the Salvation Army meeting on the corner.

Secretary Blaine says: "Senator Ingal's is the ablest man and the readlest, as well as the bravest man on the Republican side of the senate today. I say this while not being especially a personal friend of Ingalls either. It is simply truth to say he is a central figure in American history

"Your economists," he said to me, "in- tives of learning which differs in some respects from many of our colleges in the country, but akin to these institutions in unior-class, a sophomore class, and a freshman class, and we also have members of a preparatory course. Unlike other in-stitutions of learning, the member who comes here for the first time must enter the preparatory class. However strong le may be intellectually, however large and extensive his knowledge of public affairs may be, there is a peculiar class of knowledge in connection with legislative routine that can only be acquired here under the tutelage of the teacher known as "exper-

### OKLAHOMA OUTLINES.

The Payne Hawk is taking a vacation Now that the school election has been held, let the schools come.

The supreme court of Oklahoma convenes at Guthrie next Monday. The Oklahoma City Times' editorial page

there is not a row on the old Couch claim and most of the days are warm there. The Kingfisher society ladies received calls yesterday. A good big slice off the "40" of the territory live at Kinglisher. When the politicians want the women

of Oklahoma to vote, they better select ome other day than froning day for elec-They are twenty five prisieners in the county jail at Oklahoma City, and fifty warpents in the sheriff's hands to be

This is the second January the second Oklahoma has seen. Not until a year from tomorrow will it, however, see its third January the third.

Mrs. Rock, the bistorian, lives at Guthrie. The thing will never be complete until a Kingdisher and an Oklahoma City man writes a history of Oklahoma.

Norman Transcript: Governor Steele signed the bill locating the State university signed the buil locating the State university at Norman, last Saturday afternoon. The bill provides that Norman shall give forty acres of land as a site, and the county \$10,000. Every provision of the bill will be promptly met and the people of Norman and Cieveland county are to be congratulated over the flattering prospects of future procession.

Oklahema City Journal: In their decision in the Beidler case the register and receiver have hewed to the line faid, down in all their former decisions, viz. That me one in the territory prior to the 23d o April, 1889, is entitled to enter a bone stead no matter in what expanity such person may have been here. They have allowed no personal wishes or prejudice to bins their decisions, but have treated all alike rich and poor, white and black, friend and enemy. They gave this case especial thought and carried consideration and thoroughly sifted all the writenes. In a line with their former decisions there was no other decision possible than the

## EXCHANGE SHOTS.

Brief and to the Point, From the Bawkinsville, the, byspetch

To our national legislators-Gentle-The Long and Short of It.

The Boston Traveller asks, "Why was

Neah advertised the flood. He lived through it and the fellows who laughed at him were drowned. Ever since then the advertiser has been getting along and those who don't advertise have been book getting left.

A Sample Kansas Wheat Crop. From the Known Beview.

Sam Ash sold his wheat Monday for 80 cents per bushel. He raised about 2,500 bushels on 110 acres this year. This will net him ample pay for his labor and expense in raising the wheat, which Kansas soil is noted for producing. We have been persuaded to believe that we have the best all-round country that lies out of doors, because of its inexhaustible advantages.

#### That is Certainly Its Purpose. From the Eureka Requirement

It looks very much as though the dren? Wichita EagLE had gone body and well over to the Alliance cause. It is fighting the McKinley bill, finding fault with both our state and national administration, and ponring red hot shot into congress for its tardiness to do something to relieve the country from its present financial depression. Maybe the EastE course to accomplish good. We will await developments.

A Startling Comparison.

England coins silver money for India

Logist Comparison.

Dean and Media, a mad dame, made mend a die and dime, and mind wenter in

and Egypt. She buys the bullion at a discount and then coins it a gold value for her eastern dependencies. She imports two-thirds of her bread food, and one of her most important industries is the manufacturing and handling of cotton. Silver has now been demonetized in the United States for seventeen years, Nobody ever explained what the Leaven-has saved and the American producers of wheat and cotton have lost on an average at least \$125,000,000 on their

### AN EXCITING RIDE.

A Bullet Riddled Cab Recalls an Incident of the Terrible Draft Rists. While passing the Metropolitan hotel a few days ago my attention was attracted by an old and dilapidated looking cab that stood in the long line of carriages in front of the hotel waiting for fares. It seemed so out of place among the twenty or more well kept vehicles that I was about to ask the driver, an old man, why he did not paint it up a little, when he anticipated my question by saying: "I suppose you are wondering how I manage to make a living with such fine looking vehicles as one sees on Broadway. I don't know just how I manage to do it myself, but I make a fair living, and somehow or other I have al-

ways neglected to get it painted. "There is a story connected with it, and if you come this way some time again I'll

Niblo's had not yet opened its doors, and offering the old man a cigar I pressed him

to tell the yarn.
"Do you see those little holes in the back? Well, they were made by builets, and the ride during which the old cab was riddled was the most exciting one I ever had in thirty years' experience. It happened during the draft riots. One morning early I was down near the Battery. There had been rumors of trouble for several days, and we expected it every mo-

"A gentleman who came down town told me that the rioters were out in force at last, and thinking that my cab, which was then new, was safer in the stable, I started up Broadway. Near Canal street I heard an awful shouting, and as I reached the corner I saw an army officer running to-ward Broadway followed by a mob of fully many other features in this house we have six hundred men and boys. I started to a post-graduate class, a senior class, a drive away, but as I saw the mob gaining

jump into the cab, "He just reached it in time. As he pulled the door shut the leader of the mob reached the cab and tried to open the door. I heard the report of a pistol and saw the pursuer fall with a bullet in his brain. Then we started. My horse was a spirited one, and although he went faster that day than ever before in his life the mob continued to keep pace with us. They soo began to fire at us and in less than five minutes the rear end booked like a sic The army officer then took a hand in the pistol practice and the way he dropped the rioters was a caution. Before we reached Grand street I believe he shot at least ten men, and seeing that they were only targets they finally stopped and we got away. The officer gave me \$300 and the ride I had to take was worth every cent of the

The old cab driver stopped talking, a after looking at the well kept carriages, the order, "Grand Central depot," and in a up Broadway.-New York Telegram.

### Points on Eliquette for Men

There are observances needed to give grace and finish to a man's demean of these is the prompt removal of the hat, not only when meeting an acquaintance on the street or on coming into the house, but dering a sent to a lady and when she acn an elevator or a hotel corridor when a woman is present, and when kissing a woman, be she only one's wife, sister or

There are other things which every man ought to know-triffes, perhaps, but of consequence in making or marring the ease of others. Among them are the grace the room and remaining standing until she is sented; of opening the door for a hady and then stepping asida while she enters or leaves the room.

Among the small but unpleasant manthe custom hosts have of urging their surance, "There is plenty more where this here." Every house keeper resents this remark as an implication that there has sometimes been a scarcity of supplies-

## The Packetbook Steal.

It was a next trick. A man standing in a wagon was selling two dollar bills in a new pocketbook for \$2, the pecketbook thrown in. A few of them went to the avsistants and a few more to granine buyer After three or four of the latter sort had been sold a five dollar bill was put into an eals for \$5. A man brought it.

"Now, you put that in your pecket and walk across the stress before you open it," anid the vender.

fakir, with a mirthiess laugh. "I must have made a mistuke. Give me the pocket-

The book was returned. taking the bill in his hand, "do you'see | net. - New York Telegram.

book and I'll put it in."

this? 'Yes," replied the deceived Well you'll never see it again. Get up, Boxic." And the horse almost can over a far banker who had supped to see the fun, and the rig desappeared around the corner for the day. New York Telegram.

#### What Lawyers Are For. One of Mr. Gould's attorneys went to

him not long ago to explain that some act of himself and his Missouri Pacific board was Hegal and had got the company into tent ble. "Mr. Gothi," said he, "it seems t me you should have consulted your logal advisers before doing this. Any lawyer would have told you that it was lilegal." Mr Gould hung his bend a minute and then raised it and said "Yes, I know you would have advised against it, and that's the reason I didn't consult you. But the thing is done and it can't be unlone and now it's for you lawyers to get us not of the scrape the best way you can. That's what we keep lawyers for "-St. Louis Globe Democrat.

## Tor Good.

Mrs. Bings-You know you spoke about giving those old clothes of Tommy's to the poor. On second thought, hadn't we better send them over to the minister's chil-Bingo-Capital. But in that case I guess you had better let Tommy wear them a

A Long Sentence of hix Letters. Here is a sentence of thirry-two words,

lew weeks longer.-Clothier and Fur-

which some ingenious person has can-structed of the six letters found in the word

Barking of Dogs In writing of the native dogs of Central America Frederick Boyle brings forward a theory as to how dogs form the habit of barking. He was discussing with an old resident of the country some

traits of the "coyote," as the native wolf is called, but which more nearly resembles the dog. Dogs will never go wild so long as they can find a master to serve, and more especially trained dogs. The coyote

never barks, and only gallops when pursued. In regard to the first of these points, says Mr. Byam, a remark made by an old Indian struck me. Why won't these coyotes bark like

other dogs." I asked him, pointing to one I was trying to reclaim, "and why do they only how! and the pups grunt?" His answer was, "He won't learn."
"Not learn." said L "What do you

"No," he replied, "not learn, for if he were of an honest breed he would bark, to try and imitate his master, or at all events the other dogs, but all barking proceeds from dogs imitatic, their master's shoot. The master shouts to frighten away cattle from his maize field-the dog barks directly; the master abouts to drive in cattle to the corral, and the dog barks also. In fact, the dog imitates his master when he barks; he tries to speak,

I give this curious observation as the v attempt I ever heard to account for the barking of our tame dogs. No wild breeds make any noise except howling and snarling, nor under the best circumstances will they learn to bark until the third or fourth generation, a length of trial which Mr. Byam does not appear to have given the coyote.

### A Thief Detector.

"When we started I noticed," said one of a party of jewelers who had camped in the wilds of Canada, "that one of our number was incumbered with a large box. The second day in camp two watches disappeared, and each member of the party began to look upon the others with silent suspiction. Finally, as the thefts were repeated, a meeting was called, and every man pleaded not guilty. No one up to that time suspected the honest French Canadian lad we had engaged as a servant. He was questioned and also entered a prompt and emphatics denial. We all believed his protestations of innecence except the man with the

'Gentlemen,' said he, 'somebody in the party took those - atches, and I propose to find out who. I have here a thick detector,' pulling out an electric battery and winking at the crowd. 'If there is a thicf among us this will point him out.' Every man took his turn at the buttery. The boy watched the performance in wonder. He had never seen such a queer arrangement before, but as everybody who touched the colls escaped without harm he stepped bravely to the front when it came to his turn and took hold. A sudden change came over him. The owner of the battery had turned on its full force, and the victim gave a yell of pain and horror, and fell to the ground screaming: 'Save me! save me! I took 'em, but I'll never do it again!"-Jewelers' Weekly.

### The Armenius Houses.

The Armenian houses of Armenia roper are by no means comfortable. poorer clames have homes that would hardly be considered fit for rows in America, and in fact the cow lives with the family. The floors are below the level of the roadway, and there are little windows about the size of portholes. Most of the houses are of one story, and it is not uncommon to build a Bouse against the side of a hill, so that there will be no back wall. Stepping down into the house you find the cow stable on one side and on the other the kitchen and the private spartments of the family.

Each room has a stone fireplace, and all the cooking is done with cow dung mined with straw. There are no tables and few chairs, and it is a curious thing: that a large part of the heat of the room comes from the animal heat produced by the cattle in the stable which adjoins the kitchen. The houses of the wealthy and middle class of Armenians are more comfortable, and in the big Turkish cities you will find Armenians occupying nalaces. In the country, however, they have few of the comforts of Christendom, and the chief furniture consists of a divan running around three sides of the room covered with Persian rugs and resting on a carpet of gray felt .exceptionally fine wallet and offered for Frank G Carpenter in National Tribs

#### "communitation by Electricity, Ameng new electrical processes is than

The buyer, a stupid fellow, did nothing of M. de Mertions, which prevents formen of the nort. He opened it at once and of tation by the sterillaing of liquids. This course found it empty. Then he raised a is done by making a Leeden lar of the con-"Oh, here your money is" explained the coating and the electrical effect being peo-"I must showed by means of empleasers. Another perhaps, open to dealth, consists in placing the rewel and the liquid to be socilized Now," he continued, sitting down and in the field of a permanent or electro mag-

> Going to Set Married. The formy man of The Pinsburg Dispatch is going to get married. This is his accommoment of the coming events in it a King's daughter, the lives o'er the water-Her home to in Alingheur.
> For heart's in a flatter, I have an one but her,

> > harris Herold.

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